

## SCHOOL OF MARINE AFFAIRS

## UNIVERSITY of WASHINGTON College of the Environment

**Tenure Track Assistant Professor** sought by School of Marine Affairs College of the Environment, University of Washington

The School of Marine Affairs (SMA) at the University of Washington (UW) seeks applications for a full-time, 9-month, tenure-eligible appointment as an Assistant Professor.

SMA (<a href="http://www.sma.washington.edu/">http://www.sma.washington.edu/</a>) serves as a center of expertise in human dimensions of marine and environmental policy within UW's new College of the Environment (<a href="http://coenv.washington.edu/">http://coenv.washington.edu/</a>). Specialists in coastal management and marine living resources management are especially sought, but individuals with human dimensions specialties in fields relevant to marine and environmental policy are also strongly encouraged to apply. Understanding institutional dimensions of environmental change (social and natural) is an area of growing importance at SMA, and work addressing ecosystem based- and spatial area planning and management from such perspectives is highly relevant. Within the context of the new College, SMA is broadening its mission and is open to applicants with varied specialties with strong prospects for significant accomplishment in the area of science-policy integration. SMA provides leadership and training to address contemporary and emerging issues in marine systems. Its professional masters' curriculum emphasizes human dimensions of global change and globalization in the marine environment.

The appointee will possess strong analytical and research skills and is expected to: 1) teach graduate classes in the School's core curriculum in his/her area of expertise, and at the undergraduate level; 2) advise and support graduate students; 3) develop a nationally recognized research program in his/her area of specialization; and 4) develop collaborative funded programs with relevant faculty, practitioners and organizations. University of Washington faculty engage in teaching, research, and service.

**Required Qualifications**: The disciplinary focus is open, but candidates must possess a Ph.D. (or equivalent terminal degree) in *social and behavioral sciences*, *law*, *communications* or *interdisciplinary studies*. The appointment is anticipated to begin no later than September 16, 2010.

## To Apply:

Applicants should submit: 1) a letter of application that includes a statement of teaching experience and research interests as they relate to the above; 2) evidence of collaborative capabilities; 3) a detailed CV; and 4) the names of three references Electronic submissions are highly encouraged and should be sent to: <a href="mailto:smafac@u.washington.edu">smafac@u.washington.edu</a>. Review of applications will begin in late January 2010 and continue until the position is filled.

Questions should be directed to Prof. Thomas M. Leschine, Director, School of Marine Affairs, tml@uw.edu, 206-543-7004.

The University of Washington is an affirmative action, equal opportunity employer. The University is building a culturally diverse faculty and staff and strongly encourages applications from women, minorities, individuals with disabilities and covered veterans.

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